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2006 SPECIAL PROVISIONS, USAGE SHEET, AND CROSS REFERENCE SHEET

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The "Supplemental Specifications and Recurring Special Provisions" adopted March 1, 2005, will remain in effect for 2006. If you did not receive a copy of this book, please contact the manual sales office at (217) 782-3464.

The department also issues special provisions not included in the above publication. Special provisions are issued by the Bureau of Design and Environment as BDESPs and by the Bureau of Local Roads and Streets (BLRS) as LRs. The BDESPs and LRs are to be used for projects developed with the Standard Specifications and are applicable for local agency projects involving federal, state, Motor Fuel Tax, and/or Township Bridge Program funds. They are effective for any letting after January 1, 2006.

For January 1, 2006, four new BDESPs have been issued and four existing BDESPs have been revised. Copies of the BDESPs may be downloaded from the department's Website at www.dot.il.gov/desenv/bdespecprov.html.

For 2006, BLRS has issued the following LR:

LR 105 "Cooperation with Utilities" was reissued as a Local Road (LR) Contract Special Provision by the Bureau of Local Roads & Streets based on industry concerns discussed at the IDOT/Industry Joint Co-op Meeting. LRS 1 in the 2005 "Supplemental Specifications and Recurring Special Provisions" should no longer be used.

BLRS has also recently revised the following LRs:

LR 107-2 "Railroad Protective Liability Insurance for Local Lettings" was revised by the Bureau of Local Roads & Streets to allow local agencies to negotiate the insurance policy's liability level. This special provision shall be inserted into all contracts on local lettings that require this type of insurance.

LR 430 "Paving Brick and Concrete Paver Pavements and Sidewalks" was revised by the Bureau of Local Roads & Streets because the materials were added to the supplemental specifications.

Copies of the LRs may be downloaded from the department's Website at www.dot.il.gov/blr/isp.html. If Internet access is not available and a paper copy is desired, please contact Kevin Burke via e-mail at BurkeK@dot.il.gov.

The following documents are attached:

BLRS Cross Reference Sheet - Provides the disposition of the Year 2005 Recurring Special Provisions, BDESPs, and LRs.

Supplemental Index - Provides index of the current Errata and Supplemental Specifications.

Check Sheet - Provides contract reference sheet for recurring special provisions to be inserted into plans.

BDESPs & LRs Listing - Provides number, name, and brief description of special provisions.

BLRS Usage Sheet - Provides usage guidance for all Recurring Special Provisions, BDESPs and LRs. BDESPs are sorted both alphabetically by title and numerically by BDE number.

Please contact Kevin Burke if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

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Attachments